

HIGH-ENERGY COLLIDER PARAMETERS: e^+e^- Colliders (I)

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	VEPP-2000 (Novosibirsk)	VEPP-4M (Novosibirsk)	BEPC (China)	BEPC-II (China)	DAΦNE (Frascati)
Physics start date	2010	1994	1989	2008	1999
Physics end date	—	—	2005	—	—
Maximum beam energy (GeV)	1.0	6	2.5	1.89 (2.3 max)	0.510
Delivered integrated luminosity per exp. (fb^{-1})	0.030	0.027	0.11	10.3	≈ 4.7 in 2001-2007 ≈ 2.7 w/crab-waist ≈ 1.8 since Nov 2014
Luminosity ($10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	100	20	12.6 at 1.843 GeV 5 at 1.55 GeV	853	453
Time between collisions (μs)	0.04	0.6	0.8	0.008	0.0027
Full crossing angle ($\mu\text{ rad}$)	0	0	0	2.2×10^4	5×10^4
Energy spread (units 10^{-3})	0.64	1	0.58 at 2.2 GeV	0.52	0.40
Bunch length (cm)	4	5	≈ 5	≈ 1.5	low current: 1 at 15mA: 2
Beam radius (10^{-6} m)	125 (round)	$H: 1000$ $V: 30$	$H: 890$ $V: 37$	$H: 358$ $V: 4.8$	$H: 260$ $V: 4.8$
Free space at interaction point (m)	±1	±2	±2.15	±0.63	±0.295
Luminosity lifetime (hr)	continuous	2	7-12	1.5	0.2
Turn-around time (min)	continuous	18	32	15	2 (topping up)
Injection energy (GeV)	0.2-1.0	1.8	1.55	1.89	on energy
Transverse emittance (10^{-9} m)	$H: 250$ $V: 250$	$H: 200$ $V: 20$	$H: 660$ $V: 28$	$H: 128$ $V: 1.73$	$H: 260$ $V: 2.6$
β^* , amplitude function at interaction point (m)	$H: 0.06 - 0.11$ $V: 0.06 - 0.10$	$H: 0.75$ $V: 0.05$	$H: 1.2$ $V: 0.05$	$H: 1.0$ $V: 0.0135$	$H: 0.26$ $V: 0.009$
Beam-beam tune shift per crossing (units 10^{-4})	$H: 750$ $V: 750$	500	350	390	440 (crab-waist test)
RF frequency (MHz)	172	180	199.53	499.8	356
Particles per bunch (units 10^{10})	16	15	20 at 2 GeV 11 at 1.55 GeV	3.8	e^- : 3.2 e^+ : 2.1
Bunches per ring per species	1	2	1	92	100 to 105 (120 buckets)
Average beam current per species (mA)	150	80	40 at 2 GeV 22 at 1.55 GeV	701	e^- : 1250 e^+ : 800
Circumference or length (km)	0.024	0.366	0.2404	0.23753	0.098
Interaction regions	2	1	2	1	1
Magnetic length of dipole (m)	1.2	2	1.6	outer ring: 1.6 inner ring: 1.41	outer ring: 1.2 inner ring: 1
Length of standard cell (m)	12	7.2	6.6	outer ring: 6.6 inner ring: 6.2	n/a
Phase advance per cell (deg)	$H: 738$ $V: 378$	65	≈ 60	60-90 non-standard cells	—
Dipoles in ring	8	78	40 + 4 weak	84 + 8 weak	8
Quadrupoles in ring	20	150	68	134+2 s.c.	48
Peak magnetic field (T)	2.4	0.6	0.903 at 2.8 GeV	outer ring: 0.677 inner ring: 0.766	1.2

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	CESR (Cornell)	CESR-C (Cornell)	LEP (CERN)	SLC (SLAC)	ILC (TBD)	CLIC (TBD)
Physics start date	1979	2002	1989	1989	TBD	TBD
Physics end date	2002	2008	2000	1998	—	—
Maximum beam energy (GeV)	6	6	100 - 104.6	50	250 (upgradeable to 500)	1500 (first phase: 190)
Delivered integrated luminosity per experiment (fb^{-1})	41.5	2.0	0.221 at Z peak 0.501 at 65 – 100 GeV 0.275 at >100 GeV	0.022	—	—
Luminosity ($10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	1280 at 5.3 GeV	76 at 2.08 GeV	24 at Z peak 100 at > 90 GeV	2.5	$1.5 \times 10^{4\dagger}$	6×10^4
Time between collisions (μs)	0.014 to 0.22	0.014 to 0.22	22	8300	0.55 [†]	0.0005 [†]
Full crossing angle ($\mu \text{ rad}$)	± 2000	± 3300	0	0	14000	20000
Energy spread (units 10^{-3})	0.6 at 5.3 GeV	0.82 at 2.08 GeV	0.7–1.5	1.2	1	3.4
Bunch length (cm)	1.8	1.2	1.0	0.1	0.03	0.0044
Beam radius (μm)	$H: 460$ $V: 4$	$H: 340$ $V: 6.5$	$H: 200 \rightarrow 300$ $V: 2.5 \rightarrow 8$	$H: 1.5$ $V: 0.5$	$H: 0.474$ $V: 0.0059$	$H: 0.045^*$ $V: 0.0009$
Free space at interaction point (m)	$\pm 2.2 (\pm 0.6$ to REC quads)	$\pm 2.2 (\pm 0.3$ to PM quads)	± 3.5	± 2.8	± 3.5	± 3.5
Luminosity lifetime (hr)	2–3	2–3	20 at Z peak 10 at > 90 GeV	—	n/a	n/a
Turn-around time (min)	5 (topping up)	1.5 (topping up)	50	120 Hz (pulsed)	n/a	n/a
Injection energy (GeV)	1.8–6	1.5–6	22	45.64	n/a	n/a
Transverse emittance (10^{-9} m)	$H: 210$ $V: 1$	$H: 120$ $V: 3.5$	$H: 20\text{--}45$ $V: 0.25 \rightarrow 1$	$H: 0.5$ $V: 0.05$	$H: 0.02$ $V: 7 \times 10^{-5}$	$H: 2.2 \times 10^{-4}$ $V: 6.8 \times 10^{-6}$
β^* , amplitude function at interaction point (m)	$H: 1.0$ $V: 0.018$	$H: 0.94$ $V: 0.012$	$H: 1.5$ $V: 0.05$	$H: 0.0025$ $V: 0.0015$	$H: 0.01$ $V: 5 \times 10^{-4}$	$H: 0.0069$ $V: 6.8 \times 10^{-5}$
Beam-beam tune shift per crossing (10^{-4}) or disruption	$H: 250$ $V: 620$	e^- : 420 (H), 280 (V) e^+ : 410 (H), 270 (V)	830	0.75 (H) 2.0 (V)	n/a	7.7
RF frequency (MHz)	500	500	352.2	2856	1300	11994
Particles per bunch (units 10^{10})	1.15	4.7	45 in collision 60 in single beam	4.0	2	0.37
Bunches per ring per species	9 trains of 5 bunches	8 trains of 3 bunches	4 trains of 1 or 2	1	1312	312 (in train)
Average beam current per species (mA)	340	72	4 at Z peak 4–6 at > 90 GeV	0.0008	6 (in pulse)	1205 (in train)
Beam polarization (%)	—	—	55 at 45 GeV 5 at 61 GeV	e^- : 80	e^- : > 80% e^+ : < 60%	e^- : 70% at IP
Circumference or length (km)	0.768	0.768	26.66	1.45 +1.47	31	50
Interaction regions	1	1	4	1	1	1
Magnetic length of dipole (m)	1.6–6.6	1.6–6.6	11.66/pair	2.5	n/a	n/a
Length of standard cell (m)	16	16	79	5.2	n/a	n/a
Phase advance per cell (deg)	45–90 (no standard cell)	45–90 (no standard cell)	102/90	108	n/a	n/a
Dipoles in ring	86	84	3280 + 24 inj. + 64 weak	460+440	n/a	n/a
Quadrupoles in ring	101 + 4 s.c.	101 + 4 s.c.	520 + 288 + 8 s.c.	—	n/a	n/a
Peak magnetic field (T)	0.3 / 0.8 at 8 GeV	0.3 / 0.8 at 8 GeV, 2.1 wigglers at 1.9 GeV	0.135	0.597	n/a	n/a

[†]Time between bunch trains: 200ms (ILC) and 20ms (CLIC).[‡]Geometrical luminosity. The actual value may vary by $\approx 20\%$ depending on assumptions.^{*}Effective beam size including non-linear and chromatic effects.

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	KEKB (KEK)	PEP-II (SLAC)	SuperKEKB (KEK)
Physics start date	1999	1999	2017
Physics end date	2010	2008	—
Maximum beam energy (GeV)	e^- : 8.33 (8.0 nominal) e^+ : 3.64 (3.5 nominal)	e^- : 7–12 (9.0 nominal) e^+ : 2.5–4 (3.1 nominal)	e^- : 7 e^+ : 4
Delivered integrated luminosity per exp. (fb^{-1})	1040	557	—
Luminosity ($10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	21083	12069 (design: 3000)	8×10^5
Time between collisions (μs)	0.00590 or 0.00786	0.0042	0.004
Full crossing angle ($\mu\text{ rad}$)	$\pm 11000^\dagger$	0	± 41500
Energy spread (units 10^{-3})	0.7	e^-/e^+ : 0.61/0.77	e^-/e^+ : 0.64/0.81
Bunch length (cm)	0.65	e^-/e^+ : 1.1/1.0	e^-/e^+ : 0.5/0.6
Beam radius (μm)	H: 124 (e^-), 117 (e^+) V: 1.9	H: 157 V: 4.7	e^- : 11 (H), 0.062 (V) e^+ : 10 (H), 0.048 (V)
Free space at interaction point (m)	+0.75/–0.58 (+300/–500) mrad cone	± 0.2 , ± 300 mrad cone	e^- : +1.20/–1.28, e^+ : +0.78/–0.73 (+300/–500) mrad cone
Luminosity lifetime (hr)	continuous	continuous	continuous
Turn-around time (min)	continuous	continuous	continuous
Injection energy (GeV)	e^-/e^+ : 8.0/3.5 (nominal)	e^-/e^+ : 9.0/3.1 (nominal)	e^-/e^+ : 7/4
Transverse emittance (10^{-9} m)	e^- : 24 (57*) (H), 0.61 (V) e^+ : 18 (55*) (H), 0.56 (V)	e^- : 48 (H), 1.8 (V) e^+ : 24 (H), 1.8 (V)	e^- : 4.6 (H), 0.013 (V) e^+ : 3.2 (H), 0.0086 (V)
β^* , amplitude function at interaction point (m)	e^- : 1.2 (0.27*) (H), 0.0059 (V) e^+ : 1.2 (0.23*) (H), 0.0059 (V)	e^- : 0.50 (H), 0.012 (V) e^+ : 0.50 (H), 0.012 (V)	e^- : 0.025 (H), 3×10^{-4} (V) e^+ : 0.032 (H), 2.7×10^{-4} (V)
Beam-beam tune shift per crossing (units 10^{-4})	e^- : 1020 (H), 900 (V) e^+ : 1270 (H), 1290 (V)	e^- : 703 (H), 498 (V) e^+ : 510 (H), 727 (V)	e^- : 12 (H), 807 (V) e^+ : 28 (H), 881 (V)
RF frequency (MHz)	508.887	476	508.887
Particles per bunch (units 10^{10})	e^-/e^+ : 4.7/6.4	e^-/e^+ : 5.2/8.0	e^-/e^+ : 6.53/9.04
Bunches per ring per species	1585	1732	2500
Average beam current per species (mA)	e^-/e^+ : 1188/1637	e^-/e^+ : 1960/3026	e^-/e^+ : 2600/3600
Beam polarization (%)	—	—	—
Circumference or length (km)	3.016	2.2	3.016
Interaction regions	1	1	1
Magnetic length of dipole (m)	e^-/e^+ : 5.86/0.915	e^-/e^+ : 5.4/0.45	e^-/e^+ : 5.9/4.0
Length of standard cell (m)	e^-/e^+ : 75.7/76.1	15.2	e^-/e^+ : 75.7/76.1
Phase advance per cell (deg)	450	e^-/e^+ : 60/90	450
Dipoles in ring	e^-/e^+ : 116/112	e^-/e^+ : 192/192	e^-/e^+ : 116/112
Quadrupoles in ring	e^-/e^+ : 452/452	e^-/e^+ : 290/326	e^-/e^+ : 466/460
Peak magnetic field (T)	e^-/e^+ : 0.25/0.72	e^-/e^+ : 0.18/0.75	e^-/e^+ : 0.22/0.19

[†]KEKB was operated with crab crossing from 2007 to 2010.

*With dynamic beam-beam effect.

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	HERA (DESY)	TEVATRON* (Fermilab)	RHIC (Brookhaven)	LHC (CERN)		
Physics start date	1992	1987	2001	2009	2015	2024 (HL-LHC)
Physics end date	2007	2011	—	—	—	—
Particles collided	ep	$p\bar{p}$	pp (polarized)	pp		
Maximum beam energy (TeV)	e: 0.030 p: 0.92	0.980	0.255 53% polarization	4.0	6.5	7.0
Maximum delivered integrated luminosity per exp. (fb^{-1})	0.8	12	0.38 at 100 GeV 0.75 at 250/255 GeV	23.3 at 4.0 TeV 6.1 at 3.5 TeV	4.2	250/y
Luminosity ($10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	75	431	245 (pk) 160 (avg)	7.7×10^3	5×10^3	5.0×10^4 (leveled)
Time between collisions (ns)	96	396	107	49.90	24.95	24.95
Full crossing angle (μ rad)	0	0	0	290	290	590
Energy spread (units 10^{-3})	e: 0.91 p: 0.2	0.14	0.15	0.1445	0.105	0.123
Bunch length (cm)	e: 0.83 p: 8.5	p: 50 \bar{p} : 45	60	9.4	9	9
Beam radius (10^{-6} m)	e: 110(H), 30(V) p: 111(H), 30(V)	p: 28 \bar{p} : 16	85	18.8	21	7
Free space at interaction point (m)	± 2	± 6.5	16	38	38	38
Initial luminosity decay time, $-L/(dL/dt)$ (hr)	10	6 (avg)	7.5	≈ 6	≈ 30	≈ 6 (leveled)
Turn-around time (min)	e: 75, p: 135	90	25	180	134	180
Injection energy (TeV)	e: 0.012 p: 0.040	0.15	0.023	0.450	0.450	0.450
Transverse emittance (10^{-9} m)	e: 20(H), 3.5(V) p: 5(H), 5(V)	p: 3 \bar{p} : 1	13	0.59	0.5	0.34
β^* , ampl. function at interaction point (m)	e: 0.6(H), 0.26(V) p: 2.45(H), 0.18(V)	0.28	0.65	0.6	0.8	0.15
Beam-beam tune shift per crossing (units 10^{-4})	e: 190(H), 450(V) p: 12(H), 9(V)	p: 120 \bar{p} : 120	73	72	37	110
RF frequency (MHz)	e: 499.7 p: 208.2/52.05	53	accel: 9 store: 28	400.8	400.8	400.8
Particles per bunch (units 10^{10})	e: 3 p: 7	p: 26 \bar{p} : 9	18.5	16	12	22
Bunches per ring per species	e: 189 p: 180	36	111	1380	2244 2232 (i.r. 1/5 †)	2748 2736 (i.r. 1/5 †)
Average beam current per species (mA)	e: 40 p: 90	p: 70 \bar{p} : 24	257	400	467	1200
Circumference (km)	6.336	6.28	3.834	26.659		
Interaction regions	2 colliding beams 1 fixed target (e beam)	2 high \mathcal{L}	6 total, 2 high \mathcal{L}	4 total, 2 high \mathcal{L}		
Magnetic length of dipole (m)	e: 9.185 p: 8.82	6.12	9.45	14.3		
Length of standard cell (m)	e: 23.5 p: 47	59.5	29.7	106.90		
Phase advance per cell (deg)	e: 60 p: 90	67.8	84	90		
Dipoles in ring	e: 396 p: 416	774	192 per ring + 12 common	1232 main dipoles		
Quadrupoles in ring	e: 580 p: 280	216	246 per ring	482 2-in-1 24 1-in-1		
Magnet types	e: C-shaped p: s.c., collared, warm iron	s.c., $\cos \theta$ warm iron	s.c., $\cos \theta$ cold iron	s.c., 2 in 1 cold iron		
Peak magnetic field (T)	e: 0.274, p: 5	4.4	3.5	8.3 ‡		

*Additional TEVATRON parameters: \bar{p} source accum. rate: $25 \times 10^{10} \text{ hr}^{-1}$; max. no. of \bar{p} stored: 3.4×10^{12} (Accumulator), 6.1×10^{12} (Recycler).

† Number of bunches colliding at the interaction regions (i.r.) 1 (ATLAS) and 5 (CMS).

‡ Value for design beam energy of 7 TeV.

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	RHIC (Brookhaven)		LHC (CERN)			
Physics start date	2000	2012 / 2012 / 2004 / 2014 2002 / 2015 / 2015	2010	2012	2016 (expected)	≥ 2021 (high lum.) [‡]
Physics end date	—		—			
Particles collided	Au Au	U U / Cu Au / Cu Cu / h Au d Au / p Au / p Al	Pb Pb	p Pb	p Pb	Pb Pb
Maximum beam energy (TeV/n)	0.1	0.1	2.51	p: 4 Pb: 1.58	p: 6.5 Pb: 2.56	2.76
$\sqrt{s_{NN}}$ (TeV)	0.2	0.2	5.02	5.0	8.16	5.5
Max. delivered int. nucleon- pair lumin. per exp. (pb^{-1})	1484 (at 100 GeV/n)	21 / 167 / 65 / 43 103 / 125 / 64 (all at 100 GeV/n)	30.3	6.6	$\approx 10/y$	$\approx 75 - 90/y$
Luminosity ($10^{27} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	pk: 8.4 avg: 8.0	pk: 0.9 / 12 / 20 / 170 270 / 880 / 7150 avg: 0.6 / 10 / 0.8 / 100 140 / 450 / 4000	3.6	100 (leveled) 116 (ATLAS/CMS)	≈ 500	6 (leveled)
Time between collisions (ns)	107	107 / 107 / 321 / 107 107 / 107 / 107	99.8 / 149.7	199.6 / 224.6	99.8 / 149.7	49.9
Full crossing angle (μ rad)	0	0	290	120	290	> 200
Energy spread (units 10^{-3})	0.75	0.75	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
Bunch length (cm)	30	30	8.0	p / Pb: 9 / 11.5	p / Pb: 9 / 11.5	7.9
Beam radius (10^{-6} m)	55	50 / 160 / 145 / 135 145 / 145 / 145	55	p: 19 Pb: 27	17	16
Free space at interaction point (m)	16	16	38	38	38	38
Initial luminosity decay time, $-L/(dL/dt)$ (hr)	1	-0.35 [†] / ∞^{\dagger} / 1.8 / 0.6 1.5 / 0.5 / 0.25	2.6	≈ 6	≈ 2	≈ 2
Turn-around time (min)	30	60 / 160 / 90 / 45 90 / 60 / 50	≈ 180	≈ 240	≈ 180	≈ 180
Injection energy (TeV/n)	0.011	0.011	0.177	p / Pb: 0.45 / 0.177	p / Pb: 0.45 / 0.177	0.177
Transverse emittance (10^{-9} m)	6	4 / 11 / 23 / 18 25 / 25 / 23	1.5	p: 0.5 Pb: 0.9	0.29	0.5
β^* , ampl. function at interaction point (m)	0.5	0.7 / 0.7 / 0.9 / 1.0 0.85 / 0.8 / 0.8	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.5
Beam-beam tune shift per crossing (units 10^{-4})	25	7 / 14 (Cu), 14 (Au) / 30 42 (h), 22 (Au) / 21 (d), 17 (Au) 53 (p), 41 (Au) / 73 (p) 57 (Au)	9	p: 9 Pb: 10	10	10
RF frequency (MHz)	accel: 28 store: 197	accel: 28 store: 197	400.8	400.8	400.8	400.8
Particles per bunch (units 10^{10})	0.16	0.03 / 0.4 (Cu), 0.13 (Au) / 0.45 4.5 (h), 0.13 (Au) / 10 (d), 0.1 (Au) 22.5 (p), 0.16 (Au) / 24 (p), 1.1 (Al)	0.019 (r.m.s.)	p: 1.6 Pb: 0.014	p: 1.8 Pb: 0.019	0.017
Bunches per ring per species	111	111 / 111 / 37 / 111 95 / 111 / 111	518	338	518	≈ 1100
Average beam current per species (mA)	176	38 / 159 (Cu), 138 (Au) / 60 125 (h), 143 (Au) / 119 (d), 94 (Au) 312 (p), 176 (Au) / 333 (p), 199 (Al)	14.9	p: 9.7 Pb: 7	p: 17 Pb: 15	28
Circumference (km)	3.834		26.659			
Interaction regions	6 total, 2 high \mathcal{L}		3 high \mathcal{L} + 1			
Magnetic length of dipole (m)	9.45		14.3			
Length of standard cell (m)	29.7		106.90			
Phase advance per cell (deg)	93	84 / 84 / 84 / 93 84 (d), 93 (Au) / 84 (p), 93 (Au) 84 (p), 93 (Al)	90			
Dipoles in ring	192 per ring, + 12 common		1232, main dipoles			
Quadrupoles in ring	246 per ring		482 2-in-1, 24 1-in-1			
Magnet Type	s.c. cos θ , cold iron		s.c., 2 in 1, cold iron			
Peak magnetic field (T)	3.5		8.3			

[†]Negative or infinite decay time is effect of cooling.

[‡]High luminosity upgrade expected ≥ 2021 ; will extend throughout HL-LHC running. Very preliminary, conservative estimates.